

## 2022 CANDIDATE FILING INFORMATION

### When is filing for the 2022 elections?

Candidate filing for North Carolina's 2022 primary elections will resume at 8 a.m. Thursday, February 24, and end at noon on Friday, March 4, under an order issued by the Superior Court of Wake County.

**Where do I file?** *Candidates for local items must file in the county in which they are registered.*

Jones County Board of Elections  
367 Hwy 58 S, Unit B  
Trenton, NC 28585

### What are the qualifications?

- Must be a registered voter of the county.
- Must be at least 21 years of age. *\*additional qualifications exist for office of Sheriff*
- Must be eligible to vote for the office in which you intend to file.

**\*New law for filing for Sheriff** - prior to filing for the office of Sheriff or being appointed to that office, an individual must obtain from the NC Sheriff's Education and Training Standards Commission a disclosure statement certifying that the person has no prior felony convictions or expungements for felony convictions. As part of the process for completing the disclosure statement, the Commission must conduct a criminal background check. **The person filing for the office of Sheriff must present the disclosure statement to the Board of Elections at the time of filing.** If a candidate does not file a valid disclosure statement when they file their notice of candidacy, that candidate's filing is not complete, the candidate's name shall not appear on the ballot as a candidate, and votes for that candidate shall not be counted.

### How much is the filing fee?

County Commissioner	\$108.00
Sheriff	\$786.00
Board of Education	\$75.00
Soil Conservation	\$5.00
Clerk of Court	\$998.00
NC House/Senate	\$140.00

### What can I expect when I arrive to file?

- Please come prepared to wait. If arriving on the first or last day of filing, wait times may be longer.
- Filing paperwork will be completed after we verify your eligibility to file.



# JONES COUNTY

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- Filing fees up to and including \$50 may be paid by cash, check, cashier's check, or money order. Checks should be made payable to the Jones County Board of Elections.
- Fees over \$50 cannot be paid by cash and must be paid by any other method listed above.

### **Campaign Finance Information:**

- Your first financial report is due within 10 days of your organized date on your Statement of Organization (date of first activity).
- Mandatory Campaign Finance Compliance Training must be completed within 90 days. Visit <https://www.ncsbe.gov/campaign-finance/treasurer-training> for more information.

